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TITLE OF INVENTION: STRUCTURE AND FABRICATION OF DEVICE, SUCH AS LIGHT-EMITTING DEVICE OR ELECTRON-EMITTING DEVICE. HAVING GETTER REGION

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